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147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
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121	280	221	140	Request for oral hearing	
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140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
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179	740	279	370	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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Docket No. RDID 0050US

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Hoss et al.

Application No.: 09/620,038

Group No.: 1623

Filed: July 20, 2000

Examiner: M. Chaudhry

For: Method and Arrangement for Determining the Concentration
of Glucose in a Body Fluid

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 23, 2001, a three-month extension of time and entry of the following amendments and consideration of the accompanying remarks is respectfully requested.

In the claims

Please cancel claims 51-67 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter claimed therein.

Please amend claims 23, 25 and 26. The amended claim is set forth in the attached Clean Version of Replacement Claims for Entry During Prosecution of US Application No. 09/620,038, as well as a Version with Markings to Show Changes Made.

Please add new claims 68-79 as set forth in the attached Clean Version of Replacement Claims for Entry During Prosecution of US Application No. 09/620,038, as well as a Version with Markings to Show Changes Made.

REMARKS

Claims 51-67 have been cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter claimed therein. Claims 23-50 and 68-79 are pending in the present application.

Claim 68-79 are added herein. Claim 68 recites a method for continuously determining the glucose concentration in a body fluid with glucose-containing